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MEET THE ARTIST WEEK

Kerrville, Texas (June 24, 2013) – Kerrville Main Street and River's Edge Gallery are pleased to announce that beginning Friday, June 28, 2013 through Wednesday, July 3' 2013, artist John Larsen from New Jersey will be demonstrating his remarkable talent from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the River's Edge Galley. The public is invited to come and watch his paintings come to life.

John is a self-taught artist who works predominantly with oil paints, and has recently started to truly enjoy working with a palette knife. John prefers landscape painting and very much enjoys stumbling across interesting, naturally occurring still-lifes. His early influences were the pioneers of the Impressionist movement, specifically Vincent van Gogh and Claude Monet. Although he borrows some of their same techniques, John continues to seek and define his own style.

Below is the painting John painted in the beautiful downtown River's Edge Gallery the last time he came to Kerrville from New Jersey. Mike and Debbie Wilson, owners of River's Edge Gallery have this beautiful painting hanging in the front room of their gallery. Stop by and visit one of his masterpieces!

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